# Display/Mail Order Advertising Mechanical Specifications\* - Macworld

	Cover Gatefold	Flat Page (Bleed)	Bleed	7.75"W x 10.75"H
		Flat Page (Trim)	Trim	7.625"W x 10.5"H
COVER		Folded Page (Bleed)	Bleed	7.375"W x 10.75"H
		Folded Page (Trim)	Trim	7.25"W x 10.5"H
Inte	erior	Flat Page (Bleed)	Bleed	7.75"W x 10.75"H
Ga	Gatefold	Flat Page (Trim)	Trim	7.625"W x 10.5"H
		Folded Page (Bleed)	Bleed	7.375"W x 10.75"H
		Folded Page (Trim)	Trim	7.25"W x 10.5"H
		Spread Gutter Safety: Between body copy - allow 1/4" on each side (1/2" total) Between body copy - allow 1/8" on each side (1/4" total) Between body copy - allow 3/16" on each side (3/8" total)	Bleed Trim Live	16"W x 10.75"H 15.75"W x 10.5"H 14.25"W x 9.575"H
		Full Page	Bleed Trim Live	8.125"W x 10.75"H 7.875"W x 10.5"H 7.125"W x 9.575"H
		2/3 Page Vertical	Live	4.675"W x 9.575"H
		1/2 Page Horizontal **	Live	7.125"W x 4.575"H
		1/3 Page Vertical	Live	2.27"W x 9.575"H

\*Only DIGITAL files are accepted. Please see the Print Ad Creative Submission Guidelines for information on sending digital files.

\*\*These ads will always appear on the lower half of the page.

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# **Showcase Advertising Mechanical Specifications\* - Macworld**

Full Page	Live	7.25"W x 9.625"H
1/2 Page Vertical	Live	3.5"W x 9.625"H
1/2 Page Horizontal	Live	7.25"W x 4.75"H
1/4 Page Square	Live	3.5"W x 4.75"H
1/8 Page Vertical	Live	1.75"W x 4.75"H
1/8 Page Horizontal	Live	3.5"W x 2.35"H
1/16 Page Square	Live	1.75"W x 2.35"H

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### **Print Ad Creative Submission Guidelines**

## **MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

All files submitted for print ads must meet Macworld's mechanical specifications. Full-page display ads must include appropriate bleeds and live areas.

See Display/Mail Order and/ or Showcase Advertising Mechanical Specifications.

### APPLICATIONS/FORMATS **SUPPORTED**

PDF/X-1a or high-res PDF: Fonts must be embedded. (This is the preferred format.)

Quark XPress: (QXD v3.32 v6.5. Include all placed images and fonts. 300ppi, CMYK.)

Photoshop: (TIFF/EPS/JPEG 300ppi, CMYK.)

Illustrator: (AI/EPS. Include all placed images and fonts. 300ppi, CMYK.) Create outlines on all fonts used in ad.

InDesign: (v1- CS. Include all placed images and fonts. 300ppi, CMYK.) Create outlines on all fonts used in ad.

EPS: (Vector based. Include all placed images and fonts. 300ppi, CMYK.)

#### **COLORS**

All colors must be designated as CMYK process colors. Use of Pantone or RGB colors in ad files will result in color shifts to final output. Macworld cannot be responsible for color alteration of ads submitted in non-CMYK formats.

#### **GRAPHICS**

Include all of your original graphics files. A resolution of 266ppi or higher is necessary to maintain print quality.

#### **FONTS**

Include all fonts used. Please use only PostScript fonts. TrueType fonts may not print correctly. Do not "style" fonts in the font palette (clicking the B to bold or I to italicize). Fonts styled this way will not print correctly. Files should conform to US SWOP guidelines.

## **MACWORLD AD** SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

All ad materials must be submitted in a digital format. Include all layout and/or illustration files.

- ☐ Include all placed images (i.e. graphic files used).
- ☐ Include all screen fonts and printer fonts. (Send only the fonts used in your document.)
- ☐ Include a final printed color proof of the ad.
- ☐ Label your files and disks clearly with the following:

ADVERTISER name, MAGAZINE name, and ISSUE DATE, (see example):

Advertiser\_Macworld\_July06.sit

### **Production Contact Information and Assistance**

#### **EMAIL:**

Files smaller than 2MB may be emailed to: production@macworld.com

#### FTP:

Large files may be sent via secure FTP. Please contact account representative well in advance of your materials deadline regarding FTP information.

# MAIL:

CD-ROM or DVD disks to:

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# FOR ASSISTANCE:

Contact:

TAMARA GARGUS PREPRESS MANAGER Tel: 415-243-3511

Email:

tgargus@macworld.com

#### PRINTING PROCESS:

WEB OFFSET

LINE SCREEN:

150 LPI

COLOR DEFINITION:

CMYK

**BINDING METHOD:** 

PERFECT

TOTAL INK DENSITY:

Should not exceed 300%

